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OKAY, LET THEM COME TO US! SPREAD IT OUT! FLIERS FIRST, REST OF YOU ON BACK-UP!

LET'S SHOW THEM WHAT IT MEANS TO FUCK WITH TEENAGE--

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HNNHH

NUHH

EEEEIIIIGGHHH!!!

SHITE--!

HUGHIE, STAY CLEAR OF 'EM, MATE! YOU JUST TAKE THE COCK!

WHAT...?

HE MEANS *ME,* YEH CUNT YEH.

MOVE, *MOVE,* I CAN'T--

ULK--!

C'MERE, BITCH.

UFFF!

HAAAIIIEEE!

GODDAMMIT, YOU MOTHER-FUCKING--

HUH

HELLO.

I'LL FUCKIN' *BLATTER YEH,* YEH BASTARD--

WAAAH--!

TAKE YER *FUCKIN' EYES OUT--*

NO--NO--

RIP YER *BOLLOCKS OFF--*

YEH LITTLE FUCKER YEH, *I'LL PUT YER HEAD THROUGH THAT FUCKIN' WALL--!*

NONONOGETOFFMENO!

UH
UH

FUCKSAKE, HUGHIE, YOU'RE NOT SUPPOSED TO *KILL THEM...*

AWH--!

FUCKING HANDS *OFF ME--*

SHIT!

OH JESUS!

COURAGE, PETIT HUGHIE!

IT'S OKAY, IT'S OKAY, JUST DON'T BE LOOKIN' AT IT--

RIGHT, YOU--

AAAAHH!!

YOU BURN ME? YOU FUCKIN' *BURN ME?*

YOU EVEN FUCKIN' *TOUCH ME* WITH YOUR ELECTRIC FUCKIN' WANKIN' HAND--?

EEEEAAAGGGHHH!!

HE--HE--
HE--

I KNOW. JUST CHILL. JUST TAKE A MOMENT AN' BREATHE AN' GET YOUR SHIT STRAIGHT.

BUT HE--I-- I KI--

IT HAPPENS. YOU AIN'T USED TO IT, YOU DIDN'T KNOW WHAT YOU WERE DOIN'. JUST CHILL.

BUT... UH...

DON'T SWEAT IT, OKAY? YOU CAN'T BE--

UH?

Q'EST-CE QUE C'EST...?

OH...

EEEWWW--!

HUH?

AW, NO...!

MERDE.

THAT IS SOME TRULY APPALLIN' SHIT...

AW, THE POOR WEE *MAN--!*

I AIN'T TOUCHIN' THE GODDAMN THING...

CAN WE NOT DO SOMETHIN' FOR HIM?

AW, BUT HE'S STUCK IN ALL THAT HORRIBLE TAPE--

WHAT IS IT? OH, FUCK ME RIGID...!

HUGHIE, DON'T BE PICKIN' IT UP, MAN!

GET IT THE FUCK AWAY--!

WE CAN'T JUST LEAVE HIM!

SPEAK FOR YOUR FUCKIN' SELF, DOCTOR DOLITTLE...

WELL NOW I'VE FUCKIN' SEEN EVERY-THING.

ALL RIGHT, I'LL TALK TO THE PLOD. THE REST OF YOU PISS OFF INSIDE.

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JINGS.

OH, HUGHIE.

NOW THEY'RE GONNA HAVE ONE OF THOSE FUCKIN' FUNERALS.

NOT LIKE THEM TO LET IT GET SO PUBLIC, IS IT?

ALERT

I MEAN A BRAWL IN THE STREET, RIGHT OUTSIDE THE FLATIRON...IT COULD MEAN, YOU KNOW, IT COULD MEAN THEY'RE NOT WHAT THEY USED TO BE...

I DOUBT IT.

SO LONG AS WE'RE TALKING ABOUT THIS, SHOULDN'T MAEVE BE HERE, TOO? AS THE OTHER REMNANT OF THE GOOD OLD DAYS?

HER MAJESTY IS ABOVE SUCH WORLDLY CONCERNS. SO LONG AS SHE'S GOT ENOUGH GIN INSIDE HER, AT ANY RATE.

IT DOESN'T MATTER WHAT CONDITION THE REST OF HIS CREATURES ARE IN, BUTCHER HIMSELF IS GOING TO BE AS DANGEROUS AS EVER. THE MAN DOES NOT FUCK UP.

JUST ASK THE LAMP-LIGHTER.

ALL RIGHT, BIG SMILES FOR THE SIX O'CLOCK NEWS.

LET HIM ALONE FOR A COUPLE OF DAYS, ANYWAY. THOUGHT HE COULD DO WITH A REST.

THAT WAS A LOT LOUDER THAN I'D'VE LIKED IT TO BE, BOYS.

WHERE'S HUGHIE?

HEH.

HE'S SORTIN' OUT THE GEAR FOR HIS NEW HAMSTER. I'M MEETIN' HIM LATER ON.

SACRE BLEU...

SO WHO TIPPED OFF THE KIX?

YEAH, I'VE BEEN THINKIN' ABOUT THAT. IT'S THE ONLY WAY.

KESSLER?

MONKEY?

COME ON, MATE, HE WOULDN'T FUCKIN' *DARE...!*

RAYNER?

LIVE

HE WAS A *HERO.*

OH, HERE WE GO.

THAT'S, THAT'S A WORD THAT GETS THROWN AROUND A LOT THESE DAYS. SPORTS STARS AND HOLLYWOOD. PERSONALITIES...HOLLY-WOOD PERSONALITIES.

BUT BLARNEY COCK WAS THE REAL THING.

HERE, THAT'S...

VIC THE VEEP, YEAH.

JUST LIKE HIS COMRADES IN TEENAGE KIX, HE RIX, HE RISKED HIS LIFE EVERY DAY. PROTECT-ING THE INNOCENT. BATTLING EVIL.

KNOWING THAT ONE DAY A TIME MIGHT COME, AS DO HE ALL, THAT HE WOULD PAY THE ULTIMATE PRICE...

IN STANDING UP FOR THE CAUSE OF FURDOM.

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HEROES IN MOURNING

HE WASTH THE BESTHT OF USTH. HE WASTH A GREAT GUY, YOU KNEW HE WASTH GRATEFUL FOR THE CHANCTHE HE'D BEEN GIVEN TO DO GOOD.

WE'RE ALL JUSTHT GOING TO MISSTH HIM LIKE CRAZTHY.

BIG GAME LEADER OF TEENAGE KIX

HE WAS THE GUY YOU COULD ALWAYS TALK TO. HE REALLY HELPED ME WHEN I WAS STRUGGLING WITH MY GAYNESS.

WITH, WITH, WITH, WITH BEING GAY.

SHOUT OUT FORMER MEMBER OF TEENAGE KIX

YOUNG AMERICANS

WE WANT THE GUYS TO KNOW THAT WE'RE HERE FOR THEM, THAT WE'RE THINKING OF THEM, THAT WE'RE PRAYING FOR THEM EVERY SECOND OF EVERY DAY...

DRUMMER BOY LEADER OF THE YOUNG AMERICANS

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THE SEVEN REGRET THAT THEY CAN'T JOIN US THIS AFTERNOON, BECAUSE OF SOME *EXCITING DEVELOPMENTS* OF THEIR OWN WHICH I ADVISE *ALL OF US* TO KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR. BUT BARNEY WAS A FRIEND, HE WAS THEIR FRIEND, HE'LL ALWAYS BE A FRIEND...

ADAM FLEISHER SPOKESMAN FOR VOUGHT-AMERICAN

LIVE

...IN THE SURE AND, IN FACT, *DEFINITE* RESURRECTION, I DON'T THINK ANY OF US ARE IN ANY DOUBT ABOUT THAT...

EH?

TELL YOU LATER.

WE'RE IN THE HOME STRAIT NOW. ONE LAST BIT OF BOLLOCKS AFTER THE PADRE, HERE.

LIVE

GOODBYE, OLD FRIEND.

I'LL MISSTH YOU.

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WHAT?

A SAD OCCASION. KATIE?

WHAT'S THE MATTER, WERE YOU HOPIN' THEY'D GIVE YOU A MENTION?

LIVE

WHAT THE FUCK IS A *TIME TERRORIST...?*

STONY

SO.

I CAN'T STAY.

I, UH...

I...

HHHH.

I KILLED SOMEONE. I KNOW IT WAS SELF-DEFENCE AN' I DIDN'T MEAN TO AN' ALL THAT, BUT I STILL DID IT.

AN' IT'S NOT LIKE I FEEL I NEED TO BE PUNISHED FOR IT, I DON'T HAVE SOME BURNIN' DESIRE TO SEE THE INSIDE OF A FUCKIN' AMERICAN PRISON, BUT I DON'T WANNA BE IN SOMETHIN' WHERE I CAN DO THINGS LIKE THAT AN' *GET AWAY WITH IT...*

WELL, I CAN ALWAYS MAKE ANOTHER PHONE CALL...

I'M JOKIN', MATE.

I SAID I DIDN'T--

WELL I'M NOT GONNA TRY AN' STOP YOU, HUGHIE. I SAID ALL ALONG IT WAS GONNA BE YOUR DECISION.

BUT I'VE GOTTA TELL YOU, MATE, I THINK YOU'RE MAKIN' A MISTAKE.

WHY...?

I MEAN WHAT'S SO BLOODY BRILLIANT ABOUT SPYIN' ON THESE EEJITS ANY-WAY? BLACKMAILIN' THEM, MAKIN' THEM SCARED ALL THE TIME? WHO *GIVES* A FUCK ABOUT BLOODY *SUPERHEROES?*

I MEAN-- WHAT DO YOU GET OUT OF IT? WHY DO YOU *BOTHER* WITH THEM...?

ONE OF 'EM RAPED ME WIFE.

SHE NEVER TOLD ME. SHAME OR SOMETHIN'. I READ ABOUT IT IN HER DIARY AFTER-WARDS.

FIRST I KNEW ABOUT IT, I WOKE UP ONE NIGHT AN' HER GUTS WERE ALL OVER THE BED, AN' THERE WAS THIS...SUPER-FETUS THING, CRAWLIN' OUT OF HER STOMACH. TOO MUCH FOR AN ORDINARY WOMAN TO CARRY TO TERM, SOMETHIN' LIKE THAT.

HAD TO BEAT IT TO DEATH WITH THE FUCKIN' LAMPSTAND.

SEE THAT? THAT WAS ITS HEAT VISION DONE THAT.

I LOVED MY WIFE, HUGHIE. BECKY, HER NAME WAS.

SHE WAS A DOLL. SHE MADE YOU-- BELIEVE IN THINGS.

I KNOW WHICH ONE IT WAS DONE IT TO HER. AN' I'M GONNA FUCKIN' HAVE HIM FOR IT.

WHO...?

ONE OF THE BIG BOYS.

D'YOU KNOW THE SUPES HAVE A CASUALTY ALLOWANCE?

UH...

CASUALTY ALLOWANCE IS A LIMIT SET FOR POLICE TACTICAL UNITS WHEN THEY'RE RESCUIN' HOSTAGES: YOU LOSE LESS THAN TWENTY PERCENT OF THE BODS YOU'RE THERE FOR, SAY, AN' YOU'RE RECKONED TO HAVE DONE ALL RIGHT. NOBODY'S GONNA LOSE THEIR JOB OVER IT.

'CEPT FOR SUPES IT'S SET AT SIXTY PERCENT, NOW WHY D'YOU SUPPOSE THAT IS?

I... WELL...

GO ON, HAVE A GUESS.

'CAUSE THEY'RE NOT VERY GOOD AT IT?

IN ONE.

THEY'RE NOT TRAINED, THEY'RE JUST A LOAD OF AMATEURS DECIDED THEY WERE GONNA DO THIS. THEY HAVEN'T BEEN LICENSED, THEY HAVEN'T BEEN AUTHORIZED. WHY'S THAT, D'YOU THINK?

WHY WOULD THE COPS AN' THE WHITE HOUSE AN' EVEN THE FUCKIN' *MILITARY* JUST SIT BACK AN' LET THESE CUNTS GET ON WITH IT?

...THEY'RE SCARED OF THEM.

AN' THAT'S WHERE WE COME IN.

I WON'T BULLSHIT YOU, HUGHIE: THIS WOULDN'T BE THE LAST TIME YOU'D HAVE TO TOP SOMEONE. IT'S BIG BOYS' RULES NOW. ALL THE NICE-GUY STUFF YOU GET TO DO 'CAUSE YOU'VE GOT A CHOICE, THAT ALL GOES OUT THE WINDOW IF YOU WANNA WIN.

YOU SAW VIC THE VEEP AT THE FUNERAL TODAY, YEAH?

AYE...

SEE, IT USED TO BE A FUCKSIGHT SIMPLER, MATE. THE SUPES ARE BACKED BY THE BIG CORPORATIONS, AN' WE KEEP AN EYE ON 'EM FOR THE GOVERNMENT. THAT HASN'T CHANGED.

BUT NOW THE LINES ARE BLURRED. DAKOTA BOB *HATES* SUPES, HE KNOWS HOW DANGEROUS THEY ARE--BUT VIC THE VEEP, HE'S A VOUGHT-AMERICAN MAN THOUGH AN' THROUGH. HE USED TO RUN THE FUCKIN' PLACE; THEY'RE THE ONES GOT HIM ON THE TICKET IN 2000.

AN' WHAT THAT MEANS, MY SON, IS WE ARE ONE BAD DAY AWAY FROM A SUPE-FRIENDLY PRESIDENT IN THE OVAL OFFICE.

AN' THIS IS WHY YOU THINK I SHOULD STAY?

I THINK YOU SHOULD STAY 'CAUSE YOU'RE GOOD AT IT.

YOU LIKE IT.

YOU'VE GOT A SCORE TO SETTLE, SO YOU WANT IT.

ALL THAT, AN' I ALWAYS WANTED A LITTLE BROTHER.

HOW'S THE HAMSTER, BY THE WAY?

A VERY EXCITING DAY, YES, FLETCHER: BECAUSE TODAY MARKS THE FIRST PUBLIC APPEARANCE OF OUR NEWEST MEMBER, *STARLIGHT*...

AH, WILL SHE BE STANDING IN FOR THE LAMPLIGHTER DURING HIS ABSENCE?

THAT'S CORRECT, MARC, STARLIGHT IS THE LAMPLIGHTER'S REPLACEMENT IN THE SEVEN. STARLIGHT?

UM... YES?

WOULD YOU LIKE TO GIVE US A BETTER LOOK AT YOU?

SURE.

STARLIGHT RECENTLY LEFT THE TEENAGE GROUP *YOUNG AMERICANS* TO JOIN THE SEVEN; WE'RE DELIGHTED TO HAVE HER ABOARD AND ARE ALL LOOKING FORWARD TO WORKING WITH HER...

NICE RACK.

C'EST VRAI.

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STARLIGHT: 7'S NEW HERO

LIVE

WELL, HOMELANDER, THANKS FOR INVITING US ABOARD TODAY; IT'S ALWAYS GREAT SPENDING TIME WITH THE WORLD'S FAVORITE SUPERHEROES...

THANK YOU, SCOTT. IT'S BEEN OUR PLEASURE.

FOR US, DUTY CALLS-- BUT LET ME JUST TAKE A MOMENT TO REMIND THE PEOPLE AT HOME THAT WE'RE STILL WATCHING OUT FOR THEM.

THAT'S OUR JOB. THAT'S WHAT WE *DO.* AND SHOULD THE WORST EVER HAPPEN, PLEASE, JUST REMEMBER:

LIVE

WE'LL BE THERE FOR YOU.

WELL, THERE GO THE SEVEN...

OFF TO MAKE THE WORLD SAFE FOR WHITE PEOPLE AGAIN.

HEARD THAT.

I DUNNO, THOUGH.

I MEAN THIS IS GONNA SOUND A LITTLE WEIRD COMIN' FROM ME, BUT YOU EVER THINK A COUPLE OF 'EM MIGHT HAVE THEIR HEARTS IN THE RIGHT PLACE? LIKE THERE MIGHT BE ONE OR TWO GOOD SUPES OUT THERE?

HEH.

WELL, IF THERE ARE:

LIVE

FUCK 'EM.

CHERRY

conclusion

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